

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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A semi-automatic commissioning system is disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 5,943,841. This system uses a central conveyor positioned next to a plurality of racks for holding products. A plurality of intermediate containers are positioned above the conveyor belt for temporarily receiving products from the racks. Each container has a hinged bottom, and includes a light and a quitting switch. Stock workers are assigned to sections of the racks for transporting products from the racks to the containers. Each stock worker wears a terminal which displays the selected product and quantity to be picked. A computer is operably connected to the terminals and the containers for directing the stock workers to pick the products. In operation, each stock worker consults the terminal to determine the selected product and quantity for a current picking operation. The computer also illuminates a light associated with the desired container into which the current pick will be deposited. As a result, each stock worker may fulfill portions of several orders by placing the products in the indicated containers as directed by the computer. Once all of the portions of an order are deposited in various of the containers, the computer controls the containers so that they discharge their contents at substantially the same section of the advancing conveyor, thereby grouping together a complete order.